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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Akira GODA, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/556,777

FILED: April 25, 2000

FOR: NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND METHOD...



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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the notification dated July 3, 2000, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration.

The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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Re: Inventor: Akira GODA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/556,777 Filed: April 25, 2000

For: NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY

DEVICE AND METHOD...

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$...00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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